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DWR and SWRCB

RE: Sacramento Valley Integrated Regional Water Management Implementation Proposal.

Our water is not for sale, lease or give-away! The people of our county and surrounding areas have spoken. This plan has NOT held up under scrutiny and we will fight it all the way. We absolutely protest your plan for funding this project and the concurrent waste of taxpayers money by spending 12 million dollors! The public and many other entities that will be impacted by this plan have not been consulted or educated about this plan.

This plan does NOT represent the public interests and is not a regional plan developed by ALL stakeholders. It is a plan developed by BIG MONEY, big power interests for their own profit.

This plan did not provide an accurate assessment of the existing conditions of our aquifier, hydrologic flow processes nor any study of conditions if a drought occurs. (which it most definately will!)

There is NOT a water shortage in California. There is simply GREED to make money on water transfers. California is 1st in the nation in energy conservation and we can be first in the nation in water conservation. There are literally hundreds of ways to save water that are being implemented and many more COULD be implemented. We will not sacrifice our clean creeks, lakes and abundant wildlife in the North state so that others can profit off of water sales to the rest of the state!

Please consider this comments.

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